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Application No. : 10/690,322 Confirmation No. 4551
Applicant : **Owens, et al.**
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Title : **DATA STRUCTURE AND MANAGEMENT
SYSTEM FOR A SUPERSET OF RELATIONAL
DATABASES**
Art Unit : **2171**
Examiner : **Metjahic, Safet**
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT
37 C.F.R. § 1.115

Sir:

Please enter this Preliminary Amendment before calculating the claims fee and amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Drawing begin on page 2 of this paper and include eleven (11) Replacement Sheets attached as an Appendix hereto.

An **Appendix** including the amended drawing figures is attached to this paper.